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☐ 1. The statutory basic filing fee is:

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☐ 2. The following additional claims fees are due:

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☒ 3. The oath or declaration:

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An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, including residence information and identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date is required.

☐ 4. The signature(s) to the oath or declaration is/are by a person other than inventor or person qualified under 37 CFR 1.42, 1.43 or 1.47.

A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.

☐ 5. The signature of the following joint inventor(s) is missing from the oath or declaration:

An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63 listing the names of all inventors and signed by the omitted inventor(s), identifying this application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.

☐ 6. A \$50.00 processing fee is required since your check was returned without payment (37 CFR 1.21(m)).

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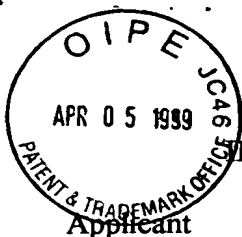
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For : ENCAPSULATION OF SENSITIVE LIQUID
COMPONENTS INTO A MATRIX TO OBTAIN DISCRETE
SHELF-STABLE PARTICLES

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Attention: Box Missing Parts
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Sir:

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Application - Filing Date Granted", mailed February 10, 1999 (copy attached), there is
attached herewith a signed declaration.

Also, attached is a check in the amount of \$130.00 to cover the surcharge for filing the
late declaration. In the event of any additional charges, the Commissioner of Patents is
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